



GUEST SPEAKER . . . Mrs. Lucille Burkholter, administration Ass't. South District of Elementary Schools spoke on the Diagnostic Center at the Lomita-San Pedro PTA council meeting held at Halldale School. Halldale PTA was hostess for the breakfast meeting. Pictured here with Mrs. Burkholter, left, are, Mmes. Amanda Wilhelm, principal, Mrs. Francis Anania, council president; and Mrs. Judson Bowers, Halldale PTA president.

Husbands Are Party Guests

North Torrance Lioness Club entertained their husbands at the annual New Year's party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan McLayne.

Following a buffet supper, dancing and games were enjoyed. Chairman for the party was Mrs. Flo McLayne assisted by Mmes Charles Comstock, Jack Parker and Dick Hubert.

Attending were Mmes and

Mmes Nelson Cullum, Clay Nolan, Paul Earrick, Earl Chambers, Dan McLayne, Dick Hubert Sal Perez, Jack Parker, Wayne Kimble, Eugene Brown, Charles Comstock and Donald Wilson.

In Las Vegas

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Gans, 1011 Kornblum, spent a three-day vacation in Las Vegas recently.

Diana Card Party Monday

Dianas, Marina Distict CFWC, junior membership, will hold a public card party at the Redondo Beach Woman's club 400 S. Broadway, Redondo, Monday evening, Jan. 18 at 8 p.m.

Co-chairmen of the event are Mmes Herbert Mueller and Ray Pierce. All popular card games will be played and numerous prizes have been awarded by merchants.

Mrs. Charles Goodenberger is taking reservations. Mrs. Nate Asaro is refreshment chairman.

Y-Wives Will Hear Speaker

Dr. Verill Williams, director of Bio-Dynamics Institute will be guest speaker at the meeting of the Torrance Y-Wives next Tuesday at the YWCA. The modern dance class will from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. after which the program will be given.

Royal Neighbors Will Install New Officers

Lillie Caudle of Hermosa Beach will be installed as oracle of Delnora Camp 10137 Royal Neighbors of America on Jan. 20 at the Charles King Youth Hall, 1409 W. 253rd St., Harbor City, at 8 p.m.

Others to be installed, during the impressive ceremony which is open to the public, will be Iris Brumbelow, past Oracle; Bertha Westphal, vice oracle; Hazel Garrison, recorder; Grace Morgison, receiver; Mildred Wolford, marshal; Josie Hemby, assistant marshal; Alice Branch and Rose Martinez, sentinels; Marie Anderson, Diane Winter and Naomi Nansel, managers.

Others are Dr. Josh Nebolon, physician; Francis Jenkins, musician; Hermena Fett, faith; Gertrude Schrieber, courage; Fern Thompson, modesty; Mae

Perry, unselfishness; Lou Stafford, endurance; Irene McPeak, flag bearer; Jennie Ek, captain of degree; Rose Johanson, publicity; and Ragna Hanssen, sunshine chairman.

Welcomed at the last meeting were Ann Wood, Bertha Meyer, Clara Hanson, Mable Beckman and group from the Wilmington camp.

Money gifts were presented to older members including Grace Knapp, Hulda Anderson, Susan Adler, Henrietta Prince, Estelle Roberts and Maddie McGuffin.

Birthdays celebrants were Josie Hemby, May Perry, Francis Jenkins, Mildred Wolford and Gordon Eisenbart.

Serving refreshments were Iris Brumbelow and Lillie Caudle.

Bethel Holds First Meet Of New Year

First meeting of the new year for Lomita Bethel 137, International Order of Job's Daughters, was held Friday Jan. 8 at the Lomita Masonic Temple.

Honored Queen Sharon Brown conducted her first meeting. She presented a special guest Mrs. Edna Babcock, deputy grand guardian, who conducted instructions.

Discussion of the four bethel meeting to be held Jan. 22 at the Lomita Bethel was held.

An important practice meeting will be held this morning at the Torrance Bethel at 11 a.m.

The guide and marshall announced their annual project, a bake sale to be held Feb. 13. All proceeds will go to Karen Sivard who is recovering from a brain operation.

Snowball trees and varicolored balloons were used in decorating the hall by Andra Anderson.

On Jan. 12, the choir rehearsed in preparation for the four bethel meeting.

Play Set Jan. 21 At El Camino

Thursday, Jan. 21, at 8:30 p.m. will be curtain time for "The Remarkable Mr. Penny-packer" presented by the El Camino Drama Dept., under direction of Burnett Ferguson, with Buddy Younggreen and Linda Vernon as assistant directors. The play will be held in the Little Theater, El Camino College.

Neal Jardine will star as Mr. Penny-packer, Marge Ruth as Ma Penny-packer, Susan Allin as Kate Penny-packer. In charge of the sets with the aid of his stage craft class is Les Thomas.

The play is being sponsored by the El Camino Faculty Wives and presented for the purpose of raising money toward the Eva Murdock Scholarship Fund.

Mrs. George Watt is chairman of the Ticket Committee, assisted by Mmes. R. Putzel, E. Timpe, H. Maddaford and R. Stephens. Tickets will be available at the Little Theater. The public is invited to attend.

PTA The Torrance Council Way

By Mrs. Lee Polick

COUNCIL
Workshop for unit Historians and Presidents will be held Jan. 20, 9:30 a.m. at Yukon Elementary School.

Torrance Council PTA Nominating committee met at the home of Mrs. Kenneth McVey Tuesday, Jan. 12 to nominate officers for the coming year. Elections will be held February 3 at the "open" council meeting to be held at the Woman's Club.

Attending were committee members Mrs. O. L. Winn, Jr., Mrs. Wm. M. McDade, Mrs. Francis J. Stutler, Mrs. James Anagnost, Mrs. Edward Murawski, Mrs. Lee Polick, Mrs. Kenneth McVey and J. C. Birmingham.

WOOD
Saturday, Jan. 23 is the date for the Howard Wood PTA's "Hand Me Down" used clothing sale to be held at the school from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. In addition to the clothing their will also be knick-knacks and home baked goods.

There will be a rag and paper drive at the school February 3. Save those rags and papers.

ARLINGTON
"No Roof for Vision" was the topic at the Arlington PTA

Pattern Show At Broadway

A spring-into-summer Simplicity pattern fashion show, "Sew a Beauty Secrets Wardrobe," of styles featured in the January issue of Seventeen magazine, will be presented in the Yardage department of the Broadway Del Amo at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 19.

The wardrobe to be shown covers occasions ranging from spectator sports and travel to patio party and dressy dance, and coordinates the latest Simplicity patterns with the newest fabrics. Altogether a total of 12 patterns with a selection of 31 fabrics will be modelled by local high school girls.

The featured fabrics in the teen wardrobe spotlight five basic color schemes, spring green, bright blue, sunny yellow, neutrals and red—in solids and combined with white. Checks, woven plaids and provincial prints play a big role in the summer fashion picture, with stripes and florals very much in evidence too.

The door prizes of lengths of fabric and a Simplicity pattern will be given at the fashion show and a White portable machine will be the grand prize from all Broadway stores. The awarding of the grand prize will take place on Friday, Jan. 25, when the winner will be notified.

Betsy Ross Club

Betsy Ross Club will hold its first meeting of the New Year at the Masonic Temple on Tuesday Jan. 19. All members are urged to attend. Freda Shaffer, new president, will be in charge.

meeting Thursday evening. Mrs. Maitland Alexander, program chairman, presented the speakers Mrs. Helen Wieman, a teacher who taught in England last year, and Mike Robbins, a South High student who spent his summer in Finland.

Mrs. Marguerite Olsen, child health chairman presented a film on the Mothers March on Polio.

FERN-GREENWOOD
Fern-Greenwood Parent Teacher Association meeting will be held Thursday, Jan. 21, 7:30 p.m. at the Madrona School Cafetorium.

Theme for the evening is "Have Sponsored Groups—Will Present". Since the Fern-Greenwood PTA sponsors a number of troops under the direction of Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts of America and our Torrance YMCA, there promises an unusual program put on by these children. Plan on meeting them then.

RIVIERA
"Understanding Our Youth's Role in the Community" will be the topic of the Riviera PTA Association meeting January 20, 8:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Guest speakers will be Diana Worthen, president of the Student Body Council; Dr. T. Lasswell, Association Professor of Sociology at USC; and Judge Otto Willett, of the South Bay Municipal Court. The election of a Nomination Committee will be held at this meeting.

"So Dear to My Heart" will be shown at the school cafeteria January 23.

The January board meeting was held on Wednesday, January 13 at the home of Mrs. Jack Speight.

"Understanding Holidays", a Christmas program, was presented in December by the students of Riviera School in place of the regular association meeting.

Narbonne

Students and parents will appear on a panel discussion "Teen Age-Parent Relationships" at the Narbonne PTA Tuesday evening, Jan. 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the school's multipurpose room. Mrs. Jane Coombs, faculty member will be the moderator. Mothers of A-10 students will be the hostesses during the social hour following the program.

Parkway

Parkway PTA will meet Jan. 21 in the school cafeteria. The meeting will feature Mrs. Patsy Trowbridge, Psychologist of Torrance.

The Parent Education Committee has invited Richard Hubert, Special Service Consultant of Torrance along with Tony Baratta, Principal, to discuss "Discipline at Parkway and at Home".

This meeting will be held in the school Cafetorium, on Jan. 28 at 1:30 p.m.

Grantee to Address AAUW

A first hand account of the values of American Association of University Women's fellowship grants will be given Palos Verdes-Rolling Hills branch members Thursday, Jan. 21, when they hear a talk by an AAUW grantee from India, now studying at USC.

Special guests at the 7:30 p.m. meeting in the Palos Verdes Art gallery will be members of the San Pedro branch of AAUW.

"Aspects of India's Culture" will be described by Miss Hannah Moses, formerly an assistant superintendent of a school for juvenile delinquents in India, who is in the social studies department at USC. She will answer questions on India, work and the International Federation of University Women.

Two days a week she observes at a cerebral palsy center, gaining useful information on rehabilitating handicapped children and adults.

Miss Moses is one of the 40 or more women, usually launched in their careers, brought annually by AAUW to the USA for a year of professional training. They return to responsible posts in their own countries where they share their experiences with co-workers, students and the public at large.

Members of the local branches support the international grants—one phase of the AAUW fellowship program — by contributions and funds raised by various volunteer activities.

Co-chairmen of the program are Mrs. H. C. O'Brien, fellowship chairman, and Mrs. Hugh L. Hixon, head of the international relations section.

Dr. P. Pinto Will Address Mothers Club

South Bay Mothers of Twins Club will hear Dr. Peter S. Pinto, Redondo Beach pediatrician, speak on a comparison of child-raising practices in our country to those of other countries when it holds its January meeting. Dr. Pinto is the father of infant twins. The meeting is scheduled for Jan. 18 at Adrien's restaurant, 1909 So. Pacific Ave., San Pedro. The club's meetings are held on the third Monday of each month at different restaurants. This meeting will feature a special seating arrangement: mothers of twins will be seated in groups according to the ages of their twins. Mothers of twins in this area desiring to attend this meeting are asked to call the group president, Mrs. Dick White.

Dual purpose of the twins club, according to Mrs. White, are to aid charities and help less fortunate families with twins, and to exchange ideas and information regarding twins. In line with this goal, an exchange table will follow the meeting. Members may bring clothing and equipment which their twins have outgrown and which can be passed on to other members at a nominal fee. The exchange table is a valuable asset to mothers who must purchase double items of clothing, Mrs. White pointed out.

The executive board of the club recently recommended that the membership adopt a second philanthropic project, namely the making of "Pinkie" hand puppets for the children's wards at Harbor General Hospital.

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